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RESPONSE

SIR:

In response to the Office Action of July 7, 2003, the three months shortened statutory period for response to the Office Action is hereby extended to December 7, 2003, by requesting a two month Extension of Time and payment of the \$420.00 extension of time fee under 37 CFR 1.136(a), the following Amendments and Remarks are being submitted. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 11-0600 for any fees and costs associated with this response. Reconsideration and allowance in view of the Amendments and Remarks, which follow, is respectfully requested.

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